

# **EXHIBIT G**

## EXHIBIT G\*

Illinois Department of Corrections  
OFFENDER'S GRIEVANCE

DATE: 9-30-15	Offender: Brian Lewis	ID#: R60592
Present Facility: NRC	Facility where grievance issue occurred: NRC	

NATURE OF GRIEVANCE: ☒ Staff Conduct ☒ DietaryBrief Summary of Grievance:

On above date, \_\_\_\_\_ around 10:30 or 11 am. I was housed on K-wing, Cell C-301. c/o Dethrow was passing out lunch trays. I jump out of my bed (top bunk) and wash out my mouth with some water. I grab my lunch tray. I ate a spoonful before I \_\_\_\_\_ my tray. I noticed something on my tray which was a mouse. I yell for c/o Dethrow. She come, I showed her the mouse and ask for a white shirt. She said a white shirt will not come for that and I put it there because it's plenty of mice running around here. Then she walked off. I started banging on the door for the K-wing officer. Pickett. And she did not come. I press the panic button and told \_\_\_\_\_ walk off on me when I starting request medical. Lt. C. Davis told me to "hold on, I will see about medical and write a grievance on the kitchen". He also sent Ms. Pickett to my cell which who was ignoring me brought another tray which I didn't want. I tried to give it to my cellie who declined. I didn't want to risk eating after what just happened with no medical attention. Second shift came K-wing Gutierrez seen the mouse in my tray. He informed Sgt. Bouregard, but Gutierrez did not start my hunger strike even though I refuse my dinner tray. Sgt. Bouregard told me to fill out some report for medical. Third shift came c/o Townsend, I told him I was going on a hunger strike because I got a tray with a mouse in it and didn't receive medical attention. C/o Townsend said two things, give him the tray from first shift. Officer Townsend seen that and stated why wouldn't they take the tray and give you medical attention and shook his head. Then he told me to fill out some requests. He will take them to the nurse personally and

“don’t go on a hunger strike, because it’s no room.” On October 1, 2015. Lt. Bishop and Sgt. Thomas started my hunger strike because I have not received any medical attention. On October 2, 2015 around 3 a.m. \_\_\_\_\_ some my cellie Decan \_\_\_\_\_ threw up blood. He was also on a hunger strike. He threw up a total of six times and twice in blood. I call c/o Martinez. He came and seen the mess all over the floor blood. Also c/o Martinez tried to get cleaning supplies \_\_\_\_\_ and medical attention. He couldn’t get any cleaning supplies but he would leave a note for the next shift and if my cellie threw up again call him. Shortly after that, he threw up again. I called Martinez. He escorted him to health care. First shift officer Gaston, I told him to look in my cell. “he said wait until he finished counting. He came back a couple hours and looked and seen the blood and throw up and said “he will be rite back with some cleaning supplies because today is our cleaning day”. He said c/o Martinez supposed to let you clean up because it blood in there. He also gave me rubber gloves for the blood. October 6, 2015 I came off my hunger strike.

Relief Requested:

I would like a vegan tray, the camera footage save from above date to show c/o Dethrow. Lt. C. Davis and c/o Pickett at my cell 301 K-wing and did not take my tray. Also the kitchen staff to be held responsible for \_\_\_\_\_.

[x] Emergency Grievance

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Counselor’s Response (if applicable)

Date Received: 2/6/16

Response: Per L. Deathrow, she does recall the incident. She states that she checks the trays and there was no mouse present when she gave grievant the tray. She stated offenders collect dead mice and put them in trays. She stated she did offer him another tray he refuse. Look on back of

grievance. If grievant wants a vegan tray he needs to request same through the chaplain. There is insufficient evidence to prove any staff misconduct.

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Print Counselor's Name	Counselor's Signature	Date of Response

EMERGENCY REVIEW

Date Received: 12/10/15      Is this determined to be an emergency nature?

[ ] Yes, expedite emergency grievance  
[x] No, an emergency is not substantiated.  
Offender should submit the grievance in  
the normal manner.

_____	<u>12/11/15</u>
Chief Administrative Officer's Signature	Date

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OFFENDER'S GRIEVANCE

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EMERGENCY REVIEW	
Date Received: <u>12.10.15</u>	Is this determined to be of an emergency nature? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes; expedite emergency grievance. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No; an emergency is not substantiated. Offender should submit this grievance in the normal manner.
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## **EXHIBIT H**

EXHIBIT-H

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ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS  
RESPONSE TO COMMITTED PERSON'S GRIEVANCE

## Grievance Officer's Report

Date Received: 2/6/16

Date of Review: 2/6/15

Grievance # (optional): 498

Committed Person: Brian Lewis

ID#: R60592

Nature of Grievance: Dietary Issues/Staff Conduct - Performance of Duty

Facts Reviewed: Grievant claims on 9/30/15 he found a mouse in his food tray and she showed C/O Dethrow and she refused to take his tray.

Grievance Officer finds that Per Officer L. Dethrow, she does recall the incident. She stated she checks the trays prior to handing out same and she did not notice a mouse in the food tray. She stated offenders have been collecting dead mice and putting them in the trays. She stated she did offer the grievant a new tray, but he refused same. If grievant wants a vegan tray, he needs to request same through the Chaplain. There is insufficient evidence to prove any staff misconduct.

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Recommendation: No action.

Anna McRee, CCII

Print Grievance Officer's Name

(Attach a copy of Committed Person's Grievance, including counselor's response if applicable)



Grievance Officer's Signature

## Chief Administrative Officer's Response

Date Received: 2/8/16

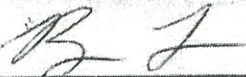
☒ I concur☐ I do not concur☐ Remand

Comments:


  
Chief Administrative Officer's Signature
2/9/16  
Date

## Committed Person's Appeal To The Director

I am appealing the Chief Administrative Officer's decision to the Director. I understand this appeal must be submitted within 30 days after the date of the Chief Administrative Officer's decision to the Administrative Review Board, P.O. Box 19277, Springfield, IL 62794-9277. (Attach a complete copy of the original grievance, including the counselor's response, if applicable, and any pertinent documents.)



Committed Person's Signature

R60592

ID#

2-14-16

Date



# **EXHIBIT I**



Date: <u>11-22-15</u>	Offender: <u>Brian Lewis</u> <small>(Please Print)</small>	ID#: <u>R60592</u>
Present Facility: <u>Stateville - NRC</u>		Facility where grievance occurred: <u>Stateville - NRC</u>

**NATURE OF GRIEVANCE:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Personal Property	<input type="checkbox"/> Mail Handling	<input type="checkbox"/> Restoration of Good Time	<input type="checkbox"/> Disability
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Staff Conduct	<input type="checkbox"/> Dietary	<input type="checkbox"/> Medical Treatment	<input type="checkbox"/> HIPAA
<input type="checkbox"/> Transfer Denial by Facility	<input type="checkbox"/> Transfer Denial by Transfer Coordinator		<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Disciplinary Report: _____		Date of Report: _____ Facility where issued: _____	

**Note:** Protective Custody Denials may be grieved immediately via the local administration on the protective custody status notification. Complete: Attach a copy of any pertinent document (such as a Disciplinary Report, Shutdown Record, etc.) and send to: Grievance Officer, unless the issue involves discipline, is deemed an emergency, or is subject to direct review by the Administrative Review Board. Chief Administrative Officer, only if the issue involves discipline at the present facility or issue not resolved by Counselor. Administrative Review Board, only if the issue involves transfer denial by the Transfer Coordinator, protective custody, involuntary administration of psychotropic drugs, issues from another facility except personal property issues, or issues not resolved by the Chief Administrative Officer.

**Brief Summary of Grievance:**

On 11-22-15 I was harassed on living 210 cell I was on the yard for two hours and I needed to use the Restroom so I knock on the door for % Pickens to open the door which she did not come I ask % John die in the tower could he get the door open he replied "That I should have not come outside, I had no other choice but to degrade myself by using the carrier as a toilet this is cruel and was unusual punishment"

**Relief Requested:** I am Requesting these %s be held accountable for there action.

☒ Check only if this is an EMERGENCY grievance due to a substantial risk of imminent personal injury or other serious or irreparable harm to self.

B.L. R60592 11/22/15  
Offender's Signature ID# Date  
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Counselor's Response (if applicable)		
Date Received: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Send directly to Grievance Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Outside jurisdiction of this facility. Send to Administrative Review Board, P.O. Box 18277, Springfield, IL 62704-8277
Response: _____		
Print Counselor's Name	Counselor's Signature	Date of Response

EMERGENCY REVIEW	
Date Received: _____	Is this determined to be of an emergency nature?
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Chief Administrative Officer's Signature	Date



## **EXHIBIT J**

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11-28-15

To Warden Williams

I sent you an emergency grievance dated 11-22-15 it's been 6 days now and I haven't heard anything from you. What is the status of my grievance? There is no toilet facility on the yard and were forced to be on the yard for 5 hours. This issue needs to be fixed ASAP because I was forced to number 2 on the yard. Please let me know something soon because I'm trying to exhaust my available remedies.

Thanks.

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Thanks

## **EXHIBIT K**



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December 10, 2015

Dear Supt. Engleson,

My name is Brian Lewis No. R60592. I am on C-wing cell 301. I'm writing you because I am being treated like an animal. This cell had human feces smeared on the walls and smell like urine. I ask the c/o could I have some cleaning supplies. He said "no write a grievance like you always do that's what you get for being a trouble maker". On November 21, 2015 I was on J-wing 210 and I went to the yard after a few hours I tried to get to my cell to use the toilet. C/o Pickens did not let me in. I had no other choice but to degrade myself and turn the corner into a toilet. Could you please look into these situation for me.

Thanks.

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(EXHIBIT-7)

December, 10, 2015

Dear Sgt. Englebar,

My name is Brian Lewis #16059.

I am on C-wing Cell 301. I'm writing you because I'm being treated like an animal. This cell had human feces smeared on the walls and smell like urine. I ask the #6 could I have some cleaning supplies he said "No" write a grievance like you always do that's what you get for being a troublemaker." On November, 21, 2015 I was on J-wing 210 and I went to the yard after a few hours I tried to get to my cell to use the toilet #6 Pickens did not let me in. ~~So~~ I had no other choice but to degrade myself and turn the corner into a toilet. Could you please look into these situation for me

Thanks

# **EXHIBIT L**



## EXHIBIT L\*

Illinois Department of Corrections  
OFFENDER'S GRIEVANCE

DATE: 2-3-16	Offender: Brian Lewis	ID#: R60592
Present Facility: Stateville-NRC	Facility where grievance issue occurred: Stateville - NRC	

NATURE OF GRIEVANCE: ☒ Staff ConductSummary of Grievance:

On December 2, 2015, I was sent to seg for a (107) which I was sentenced to 30 days. I was in cell 301 C-wing. The cell walls was covered in feces. I asked for cleaning supplies but wasn't given any. I had no sheets, soap. The mattress was ripped open and the stuffing was coming out. It was lumpy and uneven causing my back to hurt. All I received was an itchy wool blanket. I had to sleep on a \_\_\_\_ mattress cover that had the stuffing coming out of it. The mattress and stuffing inside smelled like someone urinated inside the mattress. When I asked for another mattress, I was denied a mattress change. The c/o say I'm a troublemaker and snitch because I write grievances and letters challenging my unconstitutional conditions. Mice would come under the door into my cell.

Relief Requested:

I'm requesting cleaning supplies and be let out of seg. My time was finished and should be released before January 12, 2016 because I only got 30 days. 12-2-15 1-2-16.

☒ Emergency Grievance

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Offender's Signature	ID#	Date

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Date: <u>2-3-16</u>	Offender: (Please Print) <u>Brian Lewis</u>	ID#: <u>R60592</u>
Present Facility: <u>Stateville-NRC</u>	Facility where grievance issue occurred: <u>Stateville-NRC</u>	
<b>NATURE OF GRIEVANCE:</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Personal Property <input type="checkbox"/> Mail Handling <input type="checkbox"/> Restoration of Good Time <input type="checkbox"/> ADA Disability Accommodation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Staff Conduct <input type="checkbox"/> Dietary <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Treatment <input type="checkbox"/> HIPAA <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer Denial by Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer Denial by Transfer Coordinator <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Disciplinary Report: _____ <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; width: 100%;"> <span>Date of Report</span> <span>Facility where issued</span> </div>		
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<p><b>Summary of Grievance (Provide information including a description of what happened, when and where it happened, and the name or identifying information for each person involved):</b></p> <p><u>On December 2, 2015 I was sent to seg for a (107) which I was sentenced to 30 days. I was in cell 306 during the cell walls was covered in feces. I asked for cleaning supplies what wasn't given any. I had no sheets, soap. The mattress was ripped open and the stuffing was coming out. It was lumpy on uneven causing my back to hurt. All I received was an itchy wool blanket. I had to sleep on a raw mattress cover that had the stuffing coming out of it. The mattress and stuffing inside smelled like someone urinated inside the mattress. When I asked for another mattress I was denied a mattress change.</u></p> <p><b>Relief Requested:</b> <u>I'm requesting cleaning supplies and be let out of seg my time was finished and should be released before January, 12, 2016 because I only got 30 days 12/2/15 1/2/16</u></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check only if this is an EMERGENCY grievance due to a substantial risk of imminent personal injury or other serious or irreparable harm to self.</p>		
Offender's Signature: <u>Brian Lewis</u>		ID#: <u>R60592</u> Date: <u>2-3-16</u>

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<b>Counselor's Response (if applicable)</b>		
Date Received: <u>1/1/16</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Send directly to Grievance Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Outside jurisdiction of this facility. Send to Administrative Review Board, P.O. Box 19277, Springfield, IL 62794-8277	
Response: _____		
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Print Counselor's Name	Counselor's Signature	Date of Response

<b>EMERGENCY REVIEW</b>	
Date Received: <u>1/1/16</u>	Is this determined to be of an emergency nature? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes; expedite emergency grievance <input type="checkbox"/> No; an emergency is not substantiated. Offender should submit this grievance in the normal manner.
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